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Westminster, May 25.

THIS Day His Majesty came to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Septimus Robinson, Knt. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to,

An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain Sum of Money out of the Sinking Fund; for applying certain Monies therein mentioned for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and sixty five; for further appropriating the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament for allowing to the Receivers General of the Duties on Offices and Employments in Scotland, a Reward for their Trouble; and for allowing further Time to such Persons as have omitted to make and file Affidavits of the Execution of Indentures of Clerks to Attornies and Solicitors.

An Act for redeeming One Fourth Part of the Joint Stock of Annuities established by an Act made in the Third Year of His present Majesty's Reign, in respect of several Navy, Victualling and Transport Bills, and Ordnance Debentures.

An Act for altering the Stamp Duties upon Admissions into Corporations or Companies; and for further securing and improving the Stamp Duties in Great Britain.

An Act for the better securing and farther Improvement of the Revenues of Customs, Excise, Inland, and Salt Duties; and for encouraging the Linen Manufacture of the Isle of Man; and for allowing the Importation of several Goods, the Produce and Manufacture of the said Island, under certain Restrictions and Regulations.

An Act for laying certain Duties upon Gum Senega and Gum Arabic imported into or exported from Great Britain; and for confining the Exportation of Gum Senega from Africa to Great Britain only.

An Act for encreasing the Fund for Payment of the Sums of Money directed by an Act made in the Thirty-second Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second, to be applied in Augmentation of the Salaries of the Puisne Judges in the Court of King's Bench, the Judges in the Court of Common Pleas, the Barons of the Coif in the Court of Exchequer at Westminster, and the Justices of Chester, and the Great Sessions for the Counties in Wales for the Time being; and for applying certain Sums in Augmentation of the Salaries of the said Judges and Justices, and of the Judges in the Courts of Session and Exchequer in Scotland, for a certain Time previous to the Commencement of the Augmentations established by the said Act.

An Act to enable His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to prohibit the Exportation of Wheat, Wheaten Meal, Flour, Bread, Biscuit, and Starch, during the next Recess of Parliament, at such Time and in such Manner as the Necessity of the Time may require, and He in His Wisdom shall think convenient and needful.

An Act to discontinue, for a limited Time, the Duties upon Wheat, and Wheat Flour Imported; and also the Bounty payable on the Exportation of Wheat and Wheat Flour.

An Act for prohibiting the Importation of Foreign manufactured Silk Stockings, Silk Mitts, and Silk Gloves into Great Britain, and the British Dominions; and for rendering more effectual an Act passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, for explaining, amending, and rendering more effectual, an Act made in the Nineteenth Year of the Reign of King Henry the Seventh, intituled, Silk Works.

An Act for more effectually securing and encouraging the Trade of His Majesty's American Dominions; for repealing the Inland Duty on Coffee imposed by an Act made in the Thirty-second Year of His late Majesty King George the Second; and for granting an Inland Duty on all Coffee Imported (except Coffee, of the Growth of the British Dominions in America;) for altering the Bounties and Drawbacks upon Sugars exported; for repealing Part of an Act made in the Twenty-third Year of His said late Majesty, whereby Bar Iron made in the said Dominions was prohibited to be exported from Great Britain, or carried Coastwise; and for regulating the Fees of the Officers of the Customs in the said Dominions.

An Act to explain, amend, and enforce the several Laws now in being relating to the raising and training the Militia within that Part of Great Britain called England.

An Act for repealing the Act made in the last Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for vesting the Fort of Senegal and its Dependencies in the Company of Merchants trading to Africa, and to vest, as well the said Fort and its Dependencies; as all other the British Forts and Settlements upon the Coast of Africa, lying between the Port of Sallee and Cape Rouge, together with all the Property, Estate and Effects of the Company of Merchants trading to Africa, in or upon the said Forts, Settlements, and their Dependencies, in His Majesty; and for securing, extending, and improving the Trade to Africa.

An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors.

An Act to prevent the Inconveniences arising from the present Method of issuing Notes and Bills by the Banks, Banking Companies, and Bankers, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland.

An Act to continue Part of an Act made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act to render more effectual the several Laws now in Being for the Amendment and Preservation of the Public Highways and Turnpike Roads of this Kingdom; and for making further Provisions for the Preservation of the said Roads.

An Act to enlarge the Powers of, and to render more effectual, the several Acts passed in the Second, Third, and Fourth Years of His present Majesty's Reign, for Paving, Cleansing, Lighting, and otherwise Regulating, the Squares, Streets, and other Places, within the City and Liberty of Westminster, and other Parts in the said Acts mentioned; and for extending the Provisions of the said Acts to the Surry Side of Westminster



minster Bridge; and for enlarging the Powers of the said Acts with respect to Squares.

An Act for repealing several Laws relating to the Manufacture of Woollen Cloth in the County of York; and also so much of several other Laws as prescribes particular Standards of Width and Length of such Woollen Cloths; and for substituting other Regulations of the Cloth Trade within the West Riding of the said County, for preventing Frauds in certifying the Contents of the Cloth, and for preserving the Credit of the said Manufacture at the Foreign Market.

And to Four Private Bills.

After which, His Majesty was pleased to make the following most gracious Speech.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE Dispatch, which you have given with so much Zeal and Wisdom to the Publick Business, enables Me now to put a Period to this Session of Parliament.

No Alteration in the State of Foreign Affairs has happened since your Meeting, to disturb the general Peace; and it is with Pleasure that I inform you, that the present Dispositions of the several Powers of Europe, promise the Continuance of this Blessing.

I have seen, with the most perfect Approbation, that you have employed this Season of Tranquillity in promoting those Objects, which I had recommended to your Attention, and in framing such Regulations as may best enforce the just Authority of the Legislature, and, at the same Time, secure and extend the Commerce, and unite the Interests of every Part of My Dominions.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

The Cheerfulness and Prudence which you have shewn in providing for the necessary Expenses of the present Year, deserve My particular Acknowledgments. The many Bills, which you have formed for the Improvement and Augmentation of the Revenue in its several Branches, and the early Care which you have taken to discharge a Part of the National Debt, are the most effectual Methods to establish the Publick Credit upon the surest Foundations, and to alleviate, by Degrees, the Burthens of My People.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

The Provisions which have been made for the Administration of the Government, in Case the Crown should descend to any of My Children under the Age of Eighteen Years, whilst they add Strength and Security to Our present Establishment, give Me the kindest and most convincing Proof of your Confidence: The Sense which I have of the important Trust reposed in Me, and My Desire to repay this Mark of your Affection, by discharging My Part agreeably to your Intentions in the Manner most beneficial to My People, have concurred to make Me execute, without Delay, the Powers with which you have entrusted Me. This is already done; and you may be assured, that as far as it depends upon Me, those salutary Provisions shall never be ineffectual. It is my ardent Wish, and shall be my constant Endeavour, on this, and every other, Occasion, to perpetuate the Happiness of My Subjects, and to transmit to Posterity the Blessings of Our invaluable Constitution.

Florence, May 11. The Pope has in Form acknowledged the Election of the King of Poland, and assisted at a Te Deum that was sung on that Occasion.

Prince Czartoriski is gone to Naples, where he proposes to make a short Stay, and then return to Poland.

St. James's, May 22.

This Day Baron Dewitz, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of Mecklenburg Schwerin, and the Duke of Mecklenburg Strelitz, had an Audience of Leave of His Majesty.

To which he was introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Sandwich, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State; and conducted by Stephen Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

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May 18, 1765.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Meeting of His Majesty's Lieutenancy for the County of Salop will be held on Tuesday the 28th Day of this Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Guildhall in the Town of Shrewsbury, to proceed in the Execution of the Laws relating to the Raising of the Militia.

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Admiralty Office, May 18, 1765.

His late Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrent Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Belfon, at the Admiralty Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the 30th of August 1732, as well as to the Widows of those who died since that Time, whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, such Monies as may be due to them on the 31st of May instant; This is to give Notice thereof, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do so as soon as possible; and that all such Widows whose Claims have been already allowed, may send or bring to this Office, as soon as possible, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Pension or Bounty.

Victualling-Office, May 15, 1765.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 3d Day of June next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake the Furnishing of Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at Bantry Bay in Ireland, and be in Want thereof; also fresh Beef on a separate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be seen at the Secretary's Office; or by applying to the Collector or Chief Officer of His Majesty's Customs at Bantry in Ireland.

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**Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,
May 25, 1765.**

Notice is hereby given, that such Persons who are willing to purchase the Dues of Lead Ore raised within the Manor of Alston Moor in the County of Cumberland, Part of the Derwentwater Estate, from Michaelmas 1763, to Michaelmas 1764; as also within the Manor of Thornthwaite, in the said County, and Part of the said Estate, from Michaelmas 1760, to Michaelmas 1764, may deliver in their Proposals (sealed up) to the Directors of the said Hospital, at Salters Hall in London, on Wednesday the 5th of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

Jⁿ Ibbetson, Secretary.

Viſtualling-Office, May 15, 1765.

The Commissioners for Viſtualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 5th of June next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at Nova Scotia, and be in Want thereof; also Fresh Beef on a separate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Viſtualling-Office, London.

Viſtualling-Office, May 24, 1765.

The Commissioners for Viſtualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 12th of June next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Proposals from such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to build a Brick Wharf at Dover Pier, of about 140 Feet in Length, and 16 Feet in Depth.

The Conditions of the Contract, and Section of the said Wharf, may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Agent for the Viſtualling at Dover.

East India House, May 22, 1765.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 19th Day of June next, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 13th Day of said June, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 11th Day of July next.

That the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due the 5th Day of July next, will be ready to be delivered on Monday the 5th Day of August next.

Million Bank, in Nag's-head Court Gracechurch-Street, London, May 21, 1765.

The Directors of the said Bank give Notice, That a General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Bank, will be held at the King's Arms Tavern in Cornhill, on Wednesday the 19th Day of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to consider of increasing the Dividend on the Capital Stock of this Bank to 4 and a half per Cent, and that there will be another General Meeting of the Proprietors, held at their House in Nag's-head Court Gracechurch-Street, on Wednesday the 3d Day of July next, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors for the Year ensuing; and that the Time of Election will be from Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon until One o'Clock in the Afternoon: And that the Transfer Books will be shut on Wednesday the 5th Day of June next, and continue so till the 5th Day of July next.

Nath. Neal, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given to the Warrant Officers, Petty Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Centurion, who were actually on Board at the Taking the Snow Gansenhoeff, That they will be paid their respective Shares of the said Prize, at the French Horn, Crutched Fryers, on Thursday the 6th of June 1765; and the Shares remaining unpaid will be recalled at the same Place, the first Thursday in every Month for three Years.

J. Ser Hall, Esq; of Jamaica, Agent.

**Dr. ANDERSON's, or
The Famous SCOT'S PILLS;**

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mulletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

Ipswich Races, 1765.

ON Tuesday the 9th of July, His Majesty's Hundred Guineas will be run for on Ipswich New Race Ground, by Four Years old Horses, Weight Nine Stone, Two Miles and a Quarter Heats. To enter at the Great White Horse, the Day before Running, between the Hours of Eleven and Two o'Clock, before the Person appointed by His Majesty's Master of the Horse.

TO be sold at Publick Sale, and not

otherwise, at the New York Coffee-house in Swin's Alley Cornhill, London, on Wednesday the 29th Day of May, 1765, at Twelve o'Clock precisely, Seven Eights of a Proprietorship (or One Twenty-fourth Part) of all that very valuable Colony, the Province of EAST NEW JERSEY, at present the Property of the Grandson and Heir at Law of One of the Original Twenty-four Proprietors. For further Particulars enquire of Mr. Brook Watson, Merchant, in London; Mr. Alexander Orme, Clerk of the Signet, in Edinburgh; and Mr. Dagg, N^o 1. New Court, Lincoln's Inn, London.

PURſuant to the Statute of Hue and Cry made and provided, I Gabriel Small, of Creech St. Michael in the County of Somerset, give this publick Notice, that soon after Sun Rising, and between Four and Five in the Morning of the 13th of this Instant May, as I was Riding through the Parish of North Petherton in the Hundred of North Petherton in the County of Somerset, in the King's Highway there, in my Way to Bridgewater, near a Place called Moon Lane, a Person to me unknown, about Five Feet Nine Inches high, (as I believe) having very light Hair, a Scar in his Right Cheek, and a Snuff-coloured Coat, leaped down from a Bank into the said Highway, and seized the Mare that I then rode by the Bridle, and said, Damn you, I'll have your Money, and presented a cocked Pistol to my Head; and immediately another Man, having on a Blue Coat, and who had dark Hair, and was, as I believe, about Five Feet Five Inches high, came behind me, and presented a Pistol to my Side, and bid me turn out my Pocket: And the said Two Men then and there robbed me of a Green Silk Purſe, containing therein Fifty Pounds in Mdney, consisting of about Four Pounds in Silver, One Moidore, and all the Rest in Guineas and half Guineas, on the said King's Highway, in the said Parish.

TO be peremptorily sold, on Friday the 7th Day of June next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, in three separate and distinct Lots, viz. Lot N^o 1. A Freehold Farm and Lands at Welburne in the County of York. Lot N^o 2. A Freehold Estate in St. Martin's Lane in the County of Middleſex: And Lot N^o 3. Consisting of Two Leasehold Houses in Bedford Court Covent Garden in the said County of Middleſex, late the Estates of Thomas Gibson, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Office in Carey Street near Lincoln's Inn, London.

TO be peremptorily sold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Graves, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London, on Thursday the 20th Day of June next, at Four in the Afternoon, together or in Parcels, The Freehold Estate of Henry Uthwatt, Esq; deceased, situate at Lathbury in the County of Bucks, lett to several Tenants at the yearly Rent of 279 l. 1 s. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Thursday the 27th Day of June next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, Several Freehold Messuages in the Town of Rumſey in the County of Southampton, late the Estate of John Lawes, Esq; deceased, of the yearly Value of 45 l. 6 s. Part of which Premises are lett for Ninety-nine Years determinable on Lives, and the Rest are at Rack-Rents. Further Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

ALL Persons who have any Demand upon the Estate of Mr. Robert Shelley, late of Saint Martin's Le Grand, London, Tallow-Chandler, deceased, are requested to send in their Accounts to Mr. John Seagrave, of Southampton Buildings Chancery Lane, in Fourteen Days, the Trust Estate and Effects being then to be paid away to the residuary Legatees by the Executors of the said Mr. Shelley.

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